

**United States District Court
Western District of Washington**

MICROSOFT CORPORATION,

Plaintiff(s)

Case Number: 2:16-cv-00538-JLR

V.

THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, and
LORETTA LYNCH, in her official capacity as Attorney
General of the United States,

Defendant(s)

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE TO APPEAR
PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to LCR 83.1(d) of the United States District Court for the Western District of Washington,

Michael A. Sussmann hereby applies for permission to appear
and participate as counsel in the above entitled action on behalf of the following party or parties:

Amicus Curiae Twitter, Inc.

The particular need for my appearance and participation is:

To represent Twitter Inc. as amicus curiae.

I, Michael A. Sussmann understand that I am charged with knowing and
complying with all applicable local rules;

I have not been disbarred or formally censured by a court of record or by a state bar association;
and there are not disciplinary proceedings against me.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: September 2, 2016

Signature of Applicant: s/ Michael A. Sussmann

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STATEMENT OF LOCAL COUNSEL

I am authorized and will be prepared to handle this matter, including trial, in the event the applicant Michael A. Sussmann is unable to be present upon any date assigned by the court.

Date: September 2, 2016 Signature of Local Counsel: s/ Hayley L. Berlin

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s/Michael A. Sussmann

Signature (use an "s/" and type your name)

September 2, 2016

Date Signed